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USIS BELO HORIZONTE

AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

AMCONSUL SALVADOR

AMCONSUL SAO PAULO

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FOR: CU/ARA

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SUBJECT: AMSPEC RICHARD N. GARDNER

REF: (A) STATE 033133, (B) BRASILIA 0413

1. OURO PRETO DOES NOT HAVE AIRPORT. HENCE, GARDNER WILL HAVE TO FLY TO BELO HORIZONTE AND PROCEED BY BUS. HAVE CHANGED FLIGHT ARRANGEMENTS ON MARCH 20 TO DEPARTURE RIO VIA VARIG 452 AT 12:00 NOON, ARRIVAL BELO HORIZONTE AT 12:50. BPAO-BELO HORIZONTE WILL ASSIST GARDNER AND FAMILY WITH BUS TRIP TO OURO PRETO. MARCH 21: RETURN IN LATE AFTERNOON BY BUS TO OURO PRETO NO PROBLEM.

2. AIR TICKETS FOR INTERNAL FLIGHT HAVE BEEN PURCHASED. WILL BE GIVEN TO GARDNER UPON ARRIVAL IN RIO.

3. ADDRESSES: SAO PAULO: HILTON HOTEL, AVENIDA IPIRANGA, 165 S.PAULO, SP TEL: 256-0033. SALVADOR: HOTEL BAHIA DO SOL, AVENIDA SETE DE SETEMBRO, 2009 (VITORIA), TEL: 55561/2, SALVADOR, BAHIA. RIO: SHERATON HOTEL, AVENIDA
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NIEMEYER, 121, RIO DE JANEIRO, RJ. TEL: 274-1122.

BRAZILIA: HOTEL NACIONAL, SHS, BRASILIA, D.F. TEL: 25-1050.
BELO HORIZONTE; HOTEL DEL REI , PRACA ALFONSO ARINOS, BELO
HORIZONTE, MG. TEL: 222-2211.

4. SAO PAULO HAS COMPLETED PROGRAM AS FOLLOWS:

MARCH 8- MORNING: OPEN FOR BRIEFINGS BY CONSUL GENERAL,
POLITICAL OFFICER AND USIS STAFF. EVENING: SMALL INFORMAL
BUFFET AT CAO HOME.

MARCH 9- MORNING: FREE. AFTERNOON: LECTURE/
DISCUSSIONS AT USP, PROF. MAROTTA RANGEL,
"INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT". NOTE CHANGE
FROM "LAW OF THE SEA". EVENING: DINNER AT DR. FELSBURG'S
HOME.

MARCH 10- MORNING: FREE. AFTERNOON: LUNHC-AMERICAN
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE-CHAMBER LEGISLATION COMMITTEE, JOURNALISTS
AND INVITED GUESTS "INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT".
EVENING: INFORMAL DINNER AT PRESS OFFICER'S (JEFF DIETERICH)
HOME FOR MEDIA EDITORS.

MARCH 11- MORNING: FREE. AFTERNOON: FUNDACAO GETULIO
VARGAS, PROF. HENRIQUE RATTNER, "INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND
DEVELOPMENT". EVENING; DINNER FOR APPROXIMATELY 20
PERSONS AT GENERAL'S (FREDERIC CHAPIN) RESIDENCE.

MARCH 12- MORNING: INTERVIEW/PRESS CONFERENCE WITH SAO
PAULO JOURNALISTS. AFTERNOON: POSSILBE TALK AT FUNDACAO
GETULIO VARGAS, PROF. HENRIQUE RATTNER, "THE INTERNATIONAL
ASPECTS OF THE ENERGY CRISIS" OR INFORMAL CONVERSATION
WITH ACADEMICS, JOURNALISTS, AND STATE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.
EVENING: FREE.

5. PROGRAM IN BRASILIA:

MARCH 23- TUESDAY: 10:00 AM: ARRIVAL IN BRASILIA.
RESERVATIONS AT HOTEL NACIONAL CONFIRMED MARCH 23-25
FOR MR. AND MRS. GARDNER AND TWO CHILDREN, AND 25-27 FOR
MR. GARDNER. 12:30 AM: LUNCHEON BRIEFING BY EMBASSY
OFFICIALS. EVENING: CASA THOMAS JEFFERSON: PANEL DISCUSSION
WITH EXPERTS IN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING
SPECIALISTS ON LAW OF THE SEA, TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT AND
ENERGY FROM UNIVERSITY OF BRASILIA, CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES,
FOREIGN AND FINANCE MINISTRIES.

THEMES: THE FUTURE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE PROBLEMS
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OF ENERGY; LAW OF THE SEA AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND
DEVELOPMENT.

MARCH 24- WEDNESDAY: MEETING WITH SENIOR ADVISORY STAFF
OF THE SECRETARIAT FOR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL
COOPERATION IN PRESIDENT'S SECRETARIAT OF PLANNING.
EVENING: DINNER HOSTED BY MR. AND MRS. CLAUS RUSER FOR 24
TO 28 GUESTS FROM THE UNIVERSITY, GOVERNMENT AND DIPLOMATIC CORPS.
MARCH 25- THURSDAY: MEETING WITH SENIOR ADVISORS OF

BRAZIL'S CENTRAL BANK AND BANCO DO BRASIL. EVENING:
UNSTRUCTURED DISCUSSION AT CASA THOMAS JEFFERSON
WITH 12 NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS AND BUREAU CHIEFS ON
ISSUES WITHIN MR. GARDNER'S AREAS OF EXPERTISE.
MARCH 26- FRIDAY: MEETING AT UNIVERSITY OF BRASILIA
WITH SENIOR PROFESSORS ON U.S. FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES.
LUNCHEON: HOSTED BY A SENIOR EMBASSY OFFICER TO DISCUSS
U.S. FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES INFORMALLY WITH SENIOR FOREIGN
DIPLOMATS. MEETING WITH SECRETARY GENERAL OF ITAMARATY
(FOREIGN MINISTRY) AMBASSADOR SOUTO MAIOR.
MARCH 26 OR 27- FRIDAY OR SATURDAY: MEETING WITH BRAZILIAN
ARMY GENERAL GERALDO KNACK DE SOUZA, DEPUTY CHIEF, ARMED
FORCES GENERAL STAFF.

6. SINCE BRASILIA HAS INCLUDED EVENING MARCH 26 IN
PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE, WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING IF GARDNER
WOULD RECONSIDER LEAVING BRASILIA MARCH 27 FOR SALVADOR
AS SUGGESTED AND MEET FAMILY THERE. SUGGEST FOLLOWING FLIGHT
ARRANGEMENTS FOR MRS. GARDNER AND CHILDREN: MARCH 25-
LEAVE BRASILIA VARIG 417 AT 15:30, ARRIVING RIO AT 17:00.
MARCH 27: LEAVE RIO VIA VASP 246 AT 10:30, ARRIVING IN
SALVADOR AT 13:55. MR. GARDNER SCHEDULED
FLIGHT MARCH 27 BRASILIA SALVADOR ARRIVES AT 14:35. (REFTEL (B))

7. IF GARDNER PREFERS MARCH 26 DEPARTURE FROM BRASILIA,
SUGGEST EITHER VASP 283 LEAVING AT 19:10, ARRIVING IN RIO
AT 20:40 OR VASP 281, LEAVING AT 21:45, IN RIO AT 23:15.
MARCH 27: GARDNER AND FAMILY COULD THEN PROCEED TO
SALVADOR VIA TRANSBRASIL 500 LEAVING RIO AT 16:15
ARRIVING SALVADOR AT 18:10.

8. PLEASE CONTACT GARDNER AND ADVISE HIS DECISION
ASAP.

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